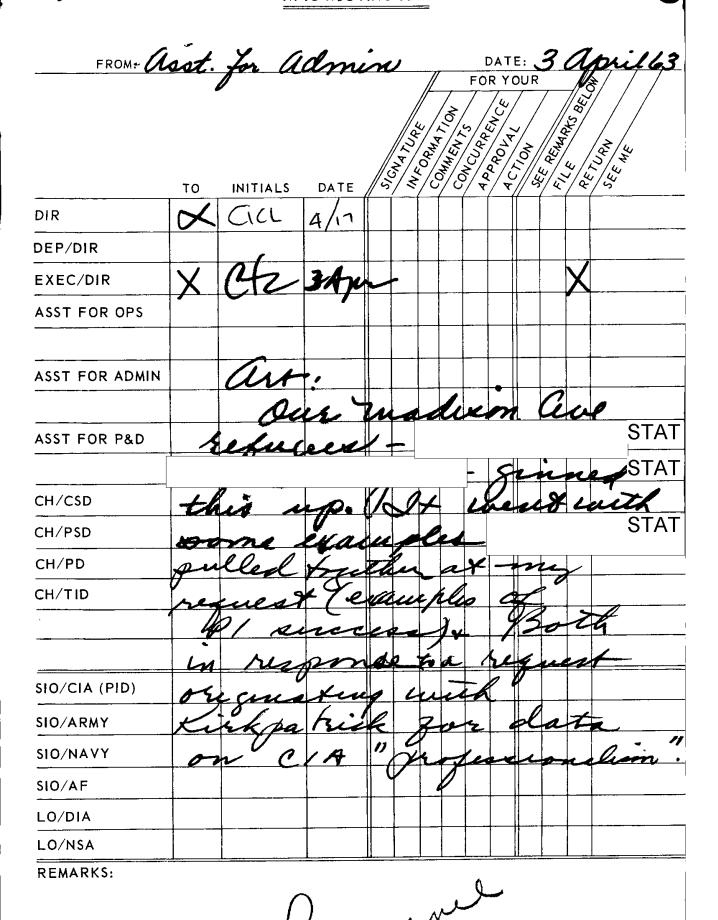
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Description of Professions and Skills Required by MPIC

Production of strategic level photographic intelligence requires a range of skills and professional capabilities that literally span the spectrum from highly trained mathematicisms and physical scientists to unskilled laborers. The photo interpretors should possess a basic education in one or more of the earth sciences and then, over a period of intense on-the-job education and performance, be specialized in one of the functional specialities or geographic areas with which the Center deals, such as missile systems, electronics systems, industrial complexes, military installations and many others. Supporting the PI's, and making possible their rapid and accurate production of intelligence, are a myriad of personnel, some highly trained and skilled, such as the mathematicians and computer experts who must plan and carry-out the immensely detailed and highly critical measurements of ground objects located by the FI's; the specialized and experienced photographic laboratory personnel who, working in a "white gloves" laboratory environment, must insure the reproduction, enlarging and printing of the very sensitive. high resolution photography; those people who are trained in physics, chemistry, optics and electronics who are constantly engaged in the task of developing new exploitation equipment in order that the Center will be able to handle the increasingly sophisticated and higher resolution photography; the talented graphics analysts and illustrators who must prepare the material for presentstion, often requiring engineering drawings and line sketches; personnel experienced in the data handling field to process, through a variety of means including the use of high speed computers, the mass of photographic, communicotions and great varieties of printed collateral intelligence; the librarians, and intelligence research analysts skilled in the ferreting-out and organization of supporting information required by the PI's; and the administrative and managerial personnel required to pull together and organize these diverse talents into a production machine capable of providing extremely rapid intelligence reporting on an around-the-clock basis.

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